

## ALICE LOST OUT IN YESTERDAY'S GAME

Paducah Won by a Throw of Powers.

Cairo Defeated Henderson and Clarksville Almost Shut Out Hopkinsville.

### SOME GOSSIP FOR THE FANS

HOW THEY STAND.

Cairo	38	63	35	.643
Paducah	38	55	43	.651
Clarksville	36	49	47	.510
Vincennes	37	43	54	.443
Henderson	39	42	57	.424
Hopkinsville	38	41	57	.418

**YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.**  
Paducah 4 Vincennes 3.  
Cairo 7, Henderson 2.  
Clarksville 11, Hopkinsville 1.

**TODAY'S SCHEDULE.**  
Vincennes at Paducah.  
Henderson at Cairo.  
Clarksville at Hopkinsville.

Eddie Powers, by a magnificent throw from the outfield, made it possible for the Indians to win from the Hoosiers without playing extra innings yesterday afternoon at Wallace Park.

Brabie pitched for Paducah and yielded 8 hits, while Clayton of the Hoosiers, allowed but five hits. The Indians hit and ran bases well at opportune times, making three earned runs, while the Hoosiers were not fortunate in bunching bingles, and lost their game.

The Hoosiers scored a run in the first inning by Schmeltz smashing a single to left field. O'Leary sacrificed him to second and Lemon hit for two bags down the third base line. Gerard fielded the hit but too late to cut the run off. Gwyn took a try at a high one and grounded out to Land. Wilkerson hit to Lally and was thrown out at first.

In the second inning Paducah scored by Potts hitting safe to center and Land sacrificing him to second. At this juncture Powers smashed a high two bagger to right field but was caught at third while trying to make it a three sacker. McGill missed three and retired the side.

In the third inning the Hoosiers made another run. Clayton hit safe to center field and Schmeltz sacrificed him to second. O'Leary went out from Potts to Land, Clayton going to third base. Lemon hit to Bateman who threw to Land, the Big Man dropping the throw, scoring Clayton. Gwyn hit to Potts who threw him out at first.

In the fourth inning the Indians made three and clinched the game. Gerard went out from short to first and Lally singled to left field. Potts hit a double to left field and Lally scored. Land hit to second base and got to second on Beirkortee's wild throw and this followed by Power's single scored Potts and Land. McGill went out from second to first and Brabie's fly to right retired the side.

In the eighth inning the Hoosiers made another run on a base on balls and two single this after two men were out. This kept the Indians sort of nervous and but for Powers magnificent play the game may have resulted differently.

In the ninth inning when the score stood 3 to 4 in Paducah's favor Beirkortee came to the plate and hit to Lally who booted the ball. Bateman fumbled on Clayton's hit to short and both men stood safe on the bags with no one out. Brabie steadied himself and prepared for battle. Schmeltz sacrificed by knocking a ball to the ground and compelling a throw to first and then O'Leary came to the bat with third and second bases filled. He knocked a high one to center and Powers caught it and quickly threw in home catching Beirkortee at the plate and retiring the side.

The summary follows:

Paducah,	ab	r	h	h	po	a	e
Batmen, ss,	4	0	0	3	1	2	
Gerard, lf,	4	0	0	2	0	0	
Lally, 3b,	4	1	1	0	3	1	
Potts, 2b,	4	2	2	1	4	0	
Land, lb,	2	1	0	13	0	1	
Powers, cf,	3	0	2	1	1	0	
McGill, rf,	3	0	0	0	0	0	
Brabie, c,	3	0	0	7	5	0	
Brabie, p,	3	0	0	0	2	0	
Totals,	30	4	5	27	16	4	
Vincennes,	ab	r	h	h	po	a	e
Schmeltz, 3b,	3	1	1	2	0	0	
O'Leary, ss,	4	0	0	0	4	0	
Lemon, c,	3	1	1	4	0	0	

Gwyn, lf,	4	0	1	1	0	0
Wilkerson, lb,	3	0	1	1	0	0
Kolb, rf,	4	0	2	2	0	0
Hugg, cf,	4	0	0	2	1	0
Beirkortee, 2b,	4	0	0	0	5	2
Clayton, p,	4	1	2	0	3	1

Totals, 29 3 8 24 15 3

### SCORE BY INNINGS.

Innings,	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	r	h	e
Paducah,	0	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	4	5	4	
Vincennes,	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	3	8	3	

Earned runs, Paducah, 3; Vincennes, 1. Two base hits, Potts, Powers, Lemon. Stolen bases, Gwyn. Sacrifice hits, Gerard, Land, Schmeltz, 2, O'Leary. Left on bases, Paducah, 3; Vincennes, 8. Struck out, Clayton, 4; Brabie, 8. Bases on balls, Clayton, 0; Brabie, 2. Time of game, 1 hour and 20 minutes. Umpire, Popp.

### CAIRO TAKES ANOTHER.

Cairo, Ill., August 23.—Holycross was almost invincible yesterday, while the Henderson pitcher was touched up pretty lively.

Henderson,	r	h	e
Cairo,	2	6	4
	7	12	1

Batteries: Kubitz and Downing; Holycross and Harvey.

### THE HOPPERS DEFEATED.

Clarksville, Tenn., August 23.—The visitors were unable to get but four hits off Weakley yesterday, and made six errors, in addition.

Clarksville,	r	h	e
Hopkinsville,	11	11	4
	1	4	6

Batteries: Weakley and James; Morris and Ketter.

The Redman Union will go to Dyersburg tonight to play two games with the Dyersburg team. Dicke and Wilkins will be the battery for the Redmans the first day and Woodriddle and Wilkins the second day.

Todays batteries will be Taylor and Lemon, Vincennes and Brady or McGill and Brabie for the Indians.

Big Taylor has signed the remainder of the season on the pitching staff of the Vincennes team.

## CHECKING AGENTS

MR. GEO. WARFIELD WILL BE TICKET AGENT IN A FEW DAYS.

Mr. S. J. Lawshee, traveling auditor for the I. C. will today or tomorrow begin the work of checking out Ticket Agent G. A. Littell, of the local I. C., and installing Mr. George Warfield, the new agent.

Mr. Lawshee has been busy checking out Mr. Warfield as freight house cashier and this morning completed this work. It will require a day or two or possibly a little longer to complete the work of checking in the new ticket agent but by Saturday Mr. Warfield will be regularly installed.

It is reliably stated that Mr. W. H. Mustaine who is an expert ticket agent, will be given the position of assistant to Mr. Warfield, and will also handle the telegraph work in the ticket office. The office of assistant ticket agent was created because of the heavy work of the ticket seller. Paducah has become a very important point on the road in the matter of travel and more tickets are sold out of Paducah than any other station on the division except Louisville. The business had increased to such proportions that an assistant was absolutely necessary.

## 20 YEARS OF ASTHMA

MRS. WELCH'S REMARKABLE RECOVERY ATTRACTS MUCH ATTENTION.

Glenmont, N. Y., August 23.—After suffering twenty years from asthma, and being unable to travel from one room to another, Mrs. Wm. Welch of this place, wife of a prominent citizen, is now well. She performs all her household duties and takes long walks.

Mrs. Welch has been testing ascatco, the new Austrian drug, and claims it cured her. This is the medicine, samples of which are being distributed free, by mail, by the Austrian dispensary, 6 East Fourteenth street, New York City, and sufferers from asthma, catarrh and hay fever.

### HEARD BANKRUPTCY CASE.

Referee in bankruptcy E. W. Bagby, has returned from Wickliffe, where he went to hear evidence in the Matt Smith bankruptcy case.

The meeting was held for the purpose of giving creditors an opportunity to enter objections and introduce evidence in support of their objections to Smith's discharge. The evidence will be detailed in briefs and forwarded to Referee Bagby, who will certify the case to the federal judge who will probably refer it back to Mr. Bagby.

## THE BLOCK SIGNALS TO START THE 28TH

Next Sunday the I. C. Installs its Service.

Today The Operators Were Placed at Many of the Signal Stations.

### BULLETINS TO THE EMPLOYEES

The block system on the Paducah district of the Illinois Central will be in service Sunday, the 28th, several days prior to the date the road expected the blocks to be finished and ready for service.

Traveling Chief Dispatcher McCabe of Chicago, was in the city yesterday and made a complete inspection of the blocks and this morning operators were placed at the blocks at Clarksville, Little Cypress, Cumberland river, Hiley, Dulaney, Dapoy and Claxton and other points where extra blocks have been installed. Every regular station is supplied with a block but the agent has to act as the block signal man at that point. The above mentioned places are not regular stations.

This morning Trainmaster Henry Scheuing went up the division to look over the situation and prepare for the fall rush which has already set in. Bulletins have been issued out of his office instructing the flagmen, switchmen, engineers, firemen, conductors and in fact every member of a crew to read up on rules governing block signal operations, and to be prepared to operate under the block rules within a few days. Many copies of rules and regulations have been taken out of the office today and crews are diligently working getting acquainted with railroading under the block rules.

Only one or two block stations remain to be completed, and the work on these amounts to very little, being merely telegraphic connections. The entire system will be thrown into operation Sunday. It is reliably stated, and great changes will be made in the running of trains. Wrecks under block signal operations rarely ever occur, the only case possible being where trains break in two and come together, or a rear end collision where block rules have been violated.

## BLUEGRASS BEAUTY

WILL WED ONE OF NOBLE BIRTH IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

New York, August 23.—Announcement is made that the heart of a bluegrass beauty has been captured by an oriental potentate and that Prince Yastanah, of Delhi, India, is to be married shortly to Miss Ivy Von Steenburg, of Frankfort, Ky., daughter of a wealthy horse breeder. Miss Von Steenburg has been boarding at Coney Island for the summer, and there met the prince where he holds an important business in the Dunbar Parade at Luna Park.

### BEGINS WORK TOMORROW.

Mr. Clarence Knowles, superintendent of water supply of the Louisville division of the Illinois Central, has his crew here ready to begin the work of extending the water mains from Tennessee street to the old dispatcher's office and the coal chute and also to put up a tank. He will begin work tomorrow morning.

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## ON DEATH BED

MAN CONFESSES TO KILLING JOHN W. GATES' BROTHER.

Carbondale, Ill., August 23.—The great mystery which for thirty years and more, has surrounded the murder of John W. Gates' brother, Gilbert Gates, has been cleared, and Alexander Jester, the accused, has confessed to the murder, according to information received in the city. Gates was killed in Hulan's lane in Andrain county, Mo., in January, 1871. He was traveling overland with Jester, the latter exhibiting in every town a trained buffalo calf. Jester was captured in Kansas by Axel A. Gates John W. Gates' father, a few weeks after, with his son's belongings, including team, clothes and watch. He was taken to Mexico, Mo., and shortly after escaped from jail, and was not found until twenty-seven years later, when his sister, Mrs. Cornelia Street, divalged to John W. Gates his whereabouts.

Gates took a special train with detectives, captured Jester and placed him in the Ralls county jail, where, in July, 1900, after a four weeks' sensational trial he was acquitted, owing to the absence of the corpus delicti of the case. Forty-eight hours after his acquittal he practically admitted his guilt, but a pledge was exacted from the person to whom he confessed that he would never tell the story until Jester's death. On his deathbed, it is claimed, Jester admitted killing Gates by cutting his throat and sinking the body in Bee creek.

### SEVERAL GOING.

Quite a party from Paducah may decide to go to the Christian County Gun Club shoot at Cerulean Springs Thursday and Friday. Dr. P. H. Stewart and Messrs. W. B. Kennedy and Ambrose Mercer have decided to go and others may conclude to later.

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